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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed July 5, 2005 that set a three-months period for a reply, the Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension to file a reply by November 5, 2005. Authorization is hereby given to charge Account No. 50-0359 for the extension. According, this reply is timely filed.

In view of the claims at page 2, and the remarks at page 6 herein, reconsideration and allowance of the Application is respectfully requested.